ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

CITY OF HICKORY LYLE CREEK AND PUMP STATION PROJECT – DIVISION II GRAVITY SEWER

Sealed bids for the project entitled Lyle Creek and Pump Station Project – Division II Gravity Sewer will be received by the City of Hickory until 2:00 p.m. local time on May 25, 2022 in the Hickory Public Utilities offices located at 1441 9th Ave NE, Hickory, North Carolina. At said place and time, all Bids that have been duly received, will be publicly opened and read aloud.

THE PROJECT GENERALLY CONSISTS OF: Construction of approximately 7,500 LF of 8-inch and 24-inch gravity sewer line, manholes, and appurtenances including creek crossings and linear bores, demolition of an existing sanitary sewer pump station, and connection to an existing manhole to connect the Town of Claremont sewer system to the City of Hickory sewer system.

The Bidding Documents for the project may be examined at the following locations during normal business hours:

City of Hickory McGill Associates, PA 1441 9th Ave NE, Hickory, North Carolina www.mcgillbidline.com

Digital copies of Bid Documents are available for purchase at www.mcgillassociates.com for a fee of \$100.00 per set. These documents may be downloaded by selecting this project from the "Bids" link and by entering Quest Project Number 8187849. For assistance and free membership registration, contact QuestCDN at (952) 233-1632 or info@questcdn.com.

Each bid shall be accompanied with a cash deposit or certified check drawn on a bank or trust company insured by the FDIC or a Bid Bond prepared on the form of Bid Bond contained in the Bidding Documents or a Surety Company's standard form and properly executed by a corporate surety licensed under the laws of North Carolina to execute such bonds. The amount of the bid bond shall be equal to **five (5) percent** of the total of the bid. The bid deposit shall be retained by the Owner if the successful bidder fails to execute the contract or fails to provide the required bonds, as stated above, within ten (10) days after the proper notice of award of the contract.

Bidders must comply with the requirements of the State of North Carolina and be appropriately licensed as a Contractor as provided in General Statutes Chapter 87.

Bidders are encouraged to only secure project bid documents as noted above. Neither the Owner nor the Engineer will be responsible for full or partial sets of Bidding Documents, including any Addenda, obtained from any source other than the Engineer and their representative plan provider, QuestCDN. Each Bidder shall be responsible for the review of all addenda for the project and shall acknowledge the addenda on the bid form.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all Bids, to waive informalities, or to reject non-conforming, non-responsive, or conditional bids. The Owner reserves the right to award a contract to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder or bidders, taking into consideration quality, performance, and time.

Warren Wood - City Manager

City of Hickory